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Office of Nutritional Products Labeling & Dietary Supplements Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition Food and Drug Administration 5100 Paint Branch Parkway College Park, MD 20740-3835

July 19, 2005

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter will serve as a 30-day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on our Vitamin C supplements under one or more of the following brand names: American Health, Bioenergy Nutrients, Body Fortress, Giant Eagle, Good 'N Natural, Health's Finest, Heartland, HealthSmart Vitamins, HealthWatchers, Life's Finest, Major Pharmaceutical, Met-Rx, Natural Wealth, Naturalist, Nature's Bounty, Nutrition Headquarters, Nutrition Warehouse, PhysioLogics, Precision Engineered, Puritan's Pride, Radiance, Rexall, Sundown, US Nutrition, Vitamin Depot, Vitamin World, and WorldWide Sports:

- Superior Antioxidant Support
- Supports Heart Health & the Immune System
- Ascorbic Acid is a form of Vitamin C, which is one of the best antioxidants for fighting free radicals.
- It nourishes the immune system, and supports heart and circulatory health.
- Vitamin C is also involved in collagen formation, which helps promote healthy skin, hair, and nails.

The above statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act.

Sincerely,

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